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Director
Office of Child Care
330 C ST SW, 4th Floor
Washington, DC 20201

Dear OCC Director:

This letter describes how Pawnee Nation of Oklahoma plans to use the Child Care and Development Funds (CCDF) awarded under the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act (CRRSA). We understand that this description will be used for the purpose of informing the Office of Child Care, Administration for Children and Families and Congress how our Lead Agency anticipates using the funds to support the childcare needs in our jurisdiction.

We plan to use CRRSA funds for activities in the following categories:

Renovation of Child Care that was once a fitness center for the after-school children.

- All flooring- Main area, safe room, bathrooms, office area and the old jacuzzi room
- Glass walls- The main corridor entrance and the old jacuzzi room
- All mirrors on the wall including the safe room.
- Jacuzzi plumbing closet
- East wall of the office space
- Cabinets on the south wall in the office space
- Showers in each restroom to put a walk-through closet in for cleaning supplies storage.
- New paint
- New LED lighting
- New carpet in the main area and in the office space
- New tile in the bathrooms and put tile in the old jacuzzi space to make it a new eating area.
- New thick rubber flooring in the safe room

- New large building block toys for quiet play
- New storm door from the safe room to the girl's restroom
- New Dutch doors on the north and south wall of the classroom
- New Fencing for the front and backyard
- New open shelving for the south office space wall
- New playground equipment for the front yard
- New playground shades for each play area
- New fans with mister to be placed at each playground for summer heat.
- New turf placed in the back yard and in the front yard for the new playground.
- New playground equipment big enough for ages 5 to 8 years old
- New mirror tint for the windows for safety purposes
- New speed pumps or rumble to for the parking lot to ensure the children walking across the parking lot to the new playground are safe from traffic.
- Electronic message board next to road
- New signage for signs on the buildings

The Pawnee Nation of Oklahoma will amend our CCDF plan as a result of activities implemented under CRRSA funding not currently described in the plan, within 60 days of implementation.

Sincerely,

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